FOREST SERVICE FIRE AND AVIATION QUALIFICATIONS GUIDE

CHAPTER 2 PART 1 – QUALIFICATIONS CERTIFICATION, DECERTIFICATION, AND FITNESS

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Updates:


2. Operations and Training Committee (OTC) name change to Incident and Position Standards Committee (IPSC).

3. Global removal of Forest Service Additional Required Training header when there is no required training to list.


5. Global removal of all IS-700 and IS-800 positions listed under Forest Service Additional Required Training on position pages. These courses, however, are still required per USFS agency requirement. See new language under 2.2 Certification #5.

6. Page 25 – Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
   Added Type 3 All-Hazard Incident Management Team (O-305) to Other Training Which Supports Development of Knowledge and Skills

7. Page 27 – Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
   Removed Fire Operations in the Urban Interface (S-215) from FS Additional Required Training

8. Page 28 – Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)
   Added Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB) to ICT5 Maintain Currency for These Positions

9. Page 30 – Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
   Added note to position page: “Once qualified as a SOF2, the SOFR qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented on a ‘verification/certification’ page of the SOFR PTB.”

10. Page 32 – Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)
    Added “Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Public Information Officer Course (E/L 952) prior to position qualification.”

11. Page 33 – Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
    Removed Introduction to ICS (ICS-100) and ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200) from FS Additional Required Training to Forest Service Other Training Which Supports Development of Knowledge and Skills
12. Page 41 – Prescribed Fire Burn Boss (RXB2)
   Removed Smoke Management Techniques (RX-410) from Forest Service Additional Required Training

13. Page 45 – Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
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14. Page 47 – Operations Section Chief Type 3 (OPS3)
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15. Page 51 – Task Force Leader (TFLD)
   Removed Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390) from FS Additional Required Training
   Added Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390) to Forest Service Other Training Which Supports Development of Knowledge and Skills
   Added note to position page: “If a TFLD meets the prerequisite experience and qualifications of a STL, the appropriate STL qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented on a ‘verification/certification’ page of the TFLD PTB.”

16. Page 53 – Strike Team Leader Crew (STCR)
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17. Page 55 – Strike Team Leader Heavy Equipment (STEQ)
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18. Page 57 – Strike Team Leader Engine (STEN)
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   Added Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390) to Forest Service Other Training Which Supports Development of Knowledge and Skills

19. Page 61 – Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)
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20. Page 63 – Heavy Equipment Boss, Single Resource (HEQB)
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   Removed Fire Operations in the Urban Interface (S-219), Engine Boss (S-231), Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260), Basic Air Operations (S-270) from Forest Service Addition Required Training

22. Page 67 – Felling Boss, Single Resource (FELB)
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23. Page 69 – Firing Boss, Single Resource (FIRB)
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24. Page 72 – Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
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   Added language to Forest Service Additional Required Certification

26. Page 75 – Intermediate Faller (FAL2)
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   Added language to Forest Service Additional Required Certification

27. Page 76 – Basic Faller (FAL3)
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29. Page 95 – Aircraft Time Keeper (ATIM)
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30. Page 99 – Mixmaster (MXMS)
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31. Page 101 – Retardant Crewmember (RTCM)
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53. Miscellaneous:
   - Update of the Position Qualification flow charts to reflect 2019 updates.
   - Minor format and editorial edits.
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2.0 INTRODUCTION

This chapter sets out the interagency requirements outlined by the National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG) in the NWCG Standards for Wildland Fire Position Qualifications, PMS 310-1. Additional interagency requirements outlined in guides referenced in Zero Code of the FSH 5109.17, and additional Forest Service requirements for incident and prescribed fire management positions.

For titles and position codes of identified Technical Specialists, see Incident Qualifications and Certification System (IQCS).

The complete list of 4-letter position job-code identifiers, which are approved by the NWCG Position Naming Board, are maintained on the IQCS website.

Direction related to training courses, delivery, equivalency, and instructor qualifications can be found in Chapter 3 of this Guide.

The National Fire and Aviation Executive Board developed the Interagency Fire Program Management Qualifications Standards and Guide that contains minimum qualification standards for key fire and aviation management positions. Direction related to competencies for fire and aviation management positions is contained in Chapter 4. Additional information can be found here.

2.1 QUALIFICATION FOR INCIDENT AND PRESCRIBED FIRE POSITIONS

This section sets out the additional requirements for skills, training, and prerequisites for Forest Service employees for the incident and prescribed fire management positions. Qualifications for each position include the minimum acceptable levels of training, experience, physical fitness, and/or currency requirements (Ch. 2) except where noted in this Guide.

Job descriptions and duties for these positions are listed in the Wildland Fire Incident Management Field Guide, PMS 210 or in the interagency guides and agency directives listed in Zero Code of the FSH 5109.17.

1. The successful completion of a position task book during an appropriate number of evaluation assignments is the indicator of qualification. For positions that do not have a position task book, the Forest Qualification Review Committee shall review and recommend to the certifying official an individual’s certification and qualification, based on objective factors such as performance evaluations and visual observation of performance of duties of the positions.

2. Personnel who have learned skills from sources outside the wildland fire management curriculum may not be required to complete specific NWCG courses in order to qualify in an incident and prescribed fire management position (sec. 3.2 – Course Equivalency).

3. Personnel currently employed by state agencies or other non-Federal cooperators (such as rural, county, and city fire departments) participating in cooperative fire
management efforts, must be compliant with the minimum position requirements specified in the NWCG Standards for Wildland Fire Position Qualifications, PMS 310-1.

4. Personnel hired as Administratively Determined (ADs) are FS employees so they must follow qualification requirements in this Guide.

5. In relation to training, contract resources must abide by the terms and position requirements of the respective agreement they are hired under.

2.2 CERTIFICATION

1. All regular Forest Service personnel and cooperators employed by the Forest Service under the Pay Plan for Emergency Workers (Interagency Incident Business Management Handbook, PMS 902-1) and assigned Incident Command System (ICS) positions must be judged to be technically and physically qualified to fill their positions.

2. Qualification for a position in the NIMS/ICS organization depends on proven ability (sec. 2.1). Training, experience, and physical fitness are prerequisites for qualification. However, certification to hold an ICS or prescribed fire position is determined through evaluation of performance as a trainee in the target position (if required), or in a prerequisite assignment.

The Washington Office, Regional or Forest Qualification Review Committees shall determine when the individual is prepared to advance to the next higher level and make recommendations to the certifying official. Documentation of the recommendation and decision shall be placed in the employee’s master record file (sec. 2.21).

3. Each employee's incident and prescribed fire position qualifications (including physical fitness and experience) must be re-evaluated annually by the certifying official to determine certification, recertification or decertification and a new Incident Qualification Card must be issued. This includes all Forest Service employees including AD employees certified by the Unit Fire Program Manager.

4. Employees transferring from another Forest Service unit, NWCG partner, or affiliate agency must undergo an audit by the receiving unit’s certifying official to determine certification, recertification, or decertification prior to issuance of an Incident Qualification Card. Employees that were certified by a NWCG partner agency under the PMS 310-1, may be considered “fully qualified” even if they lack Forest Service Additional Required Training listed in this Guide provided they correctly met the PMS 310-1 requirements at the time when they were certified, and can show successful position performance in this position. The sole exception is the HSPD-5 and HSPD-8 requirement for IS-700 and IS-800. Transferring employees with open position task books will be required to complete all Forest Service Additional Required Training listed in the current FAQG prior to certification.

5. All Forest Service personnel assigned Incident Command System (ICS) positions are required to be in compliance with HSPD-5 and HSPD-8 and take IS-700 and IS-800.
6. The Unit Fire Program Manager should ensure that a system is in place to establish priorities for training and currency assignments.

7. A Qualification Review Committee shall be established on each unit (Washington Office, regional office, or forest) to review and recommend certification of personnel to the certifying official. At a minimum, the committee shall include the Fire Management Staff Officer, a line officer representative, Incident Qualifications and Certification System (IQCS) Administrator, and a representative from the National Federation of Federal Employees (NFFE) or other appropriate Forest Service union official, as well as representatives knowledgeable of the unit's personnel. Deliberations, rationale and decisions must be documented as appropriate to establish criteria and provide background for employee performance enhancement planning.

   a. The Washington Office Review Committee (WQRC) shall review all individuals possessing Area Command and Type 1 Command and General Staff position qualifications, who are assigned to the Washington Office.

   b. Regional Qualification Review Committees (RQRCs) shall review all individuals possessing Area Command and Type 1 Command and General Staff position qualifications who are assigned in that region.

   c. Forest Qualification Review Committees (FQRCs) shall review all individuals possessing Type 2, or lower, position qualifications.

   d. Prescribed Fire Manager (RXM1/RXM2) and Prescribed Fire Burn Boss (RXB1/RXB2) position qualifications shall be reviewed by the FQRC.

   e. Regional/WO Review Committees have the latitude to review all personnel within their area at any time.

8. If an individual is serving in the designated 3-year task book completion period and an amendment to FSFAQG is issued, the position standards, contained in the amendment apply.

9. If amendments to FSFAQG are issued which identify additional required training for positions, such training will not be required for individuals qualified and current for those positions at the time of amendment. There may be exceptions, examples include Homeland Security Presidential Declaration #5 (HSPD-5) which required successful completion of IS-700 for all employees, whether or not they were previously qualified. Recommendations from Accident/Incident Abatement Plans may also require training for all employees, whether or not they were previously qualified. Field units will be notified when additional training is required through a letter from the Deputy Chief of the training requirement and who it applies too.

10. Specific training may be required by the Occupational Safety and Health Act regarding hazardous waste operations during emergency response and may be coordinated by Occupational Safety Health Administration (OSHA).

2.21 REFRESHER TRAINING

Refresher Training (RT) courses are required for positions that have a recurrent training requirement. The frequency of the recurrence training varies by position from annual
(every year), biennial (once every two years), or triennial (once every three years) depending on the position.

RT courses are required for fully qualified as well as trainee positions, and must be completed within the specified time frame from the date the original course was completed and thereafter every one to three years depending on the position. However, in the instance of the RT-300FS (Forest Service Prescribed Fire Workshop), the biennial requirement only applies to fully qualified RXB2, RXB1, RXM2 and RXM1, and starts from the date of RXB2 certification and thereafter must be completed every 2 years.

- A-110: Aviation Transportation of Hazardous materials (Triennial following completion of A-110)
- RT-130: Fireline Safety Refresher (Every 13 months following completion of S-130)
- RT-273: SEAT Manager Workshop (Triennial following completion of S-273)
- RT-300: Prescribed Fire Workshop (Biennial from date of RXB2 certification)
- RT-340: HRSP Workshop (Triennial following completion of S-340)
- RT-372: Helicopter Manager Workshop (Triennial following completion of S-372)
- RT-378: ATGS Workshop (Triennial following completion of S-378)
- RT-505: Helicopter Rappeller Refresher (Annual following completion of FS 505)
- RT-506: Helicopter Rappel Spotter Refresher (Annual following completion of FS-506)
- RT-9012: Helitorch Manager Refresher (Annual following completion of N-9012)
- RT-9013: Geographic Area Medical Specialist Refresher (Annual following completion of N-9013; may be waived for one year if approved by medical doctor and Incident Medical Standards [IMS]) program manager)
- RT-9016: PLDO Refresher (Annual following completion of N-9016)
- RT-9059F: CRM 7 Skills Refresher (Tri-Annual following completion of N-9059 for ATGS, Annual for HERS)

Additional information on refresher training can be found in Chapter 3, 3.13.
2.22 RECORD KEEPING

Beginning with the March 26, 1990, amendment to FSH 5109.17, the Forest Service requires that certification records supporting qualifications on the employee's Incident Qualifications Card be maintained. The Unit Fire Program Manager on each forest shall ensure that certification records are maintained.

1. A file folder in paper copy format must be maintained for each employee for records related to certification in fire and aviation management positions. These records must be centrally located on the unit and readily accessible to the fire program manager. The fire program manager shall determine the centralized location of the records and provide direction to the units.

2. The contents of these folders shall include:
   a. All relevant evidence of course completion related to position qualifications. Relevant evidence may consist of training certificates, copies of course completion rosters and/or completed Request for Training (SF-182) forms, or other third party validation that the training has been successfully completed. Documents from the course lead instructor or course coordinator, certifying that the employee successfully completed the training, are acceptable.

      Only the lead instructor, course coordinator, or an individual who can validate the responder's successful completion of the training can provide third party evidence to substantiate course completion. An individual who also attended the course is not acceptable third party evidence.

   b. Individual Performance Rating, Form ICS 226. Prior to the implementation of Position Task Books in February 1994, the Individual Performance Rating, Form ICS 226, served as evidence that the employee satisfactorily performed in a position.

      If an Individual Performance Rating recommending the individual for certification cannot be located for the periods from March 1990 through February 1994, verification can be accomplished with a letter or e-mail from the final evaluator validating:

         1) A recommendation that the individual be considered for certification.

         2) A list of the incident(s) and date(s) when the final evaluation and previously recommended certification was completed.

   c. Position task book verification (the inside front cover of task book, showing recommending final evaluator and Certifying official's signatures and dates). If no copy of a qualifying position task book verification page can be located, verification may be accomplished with a letter or e-mail from the final evaluator validating:

         1) Satisfactory completion of all tasks.
2) A recommendation that the individual be considered for certification.

3) A list of the incident(s) and date(s) when the final evaluation and previously recommended certification was completed.

d. Other Documented Evidence of Continued Certification. When course completion and position task book verification evidence is missing, the certifying officials must also document that the employee was eligible for certification and their decision to continue to certify the employee in the position. In each case, the certifying officials must document their rationale to retain the employee’s qualification.

e. Yearly updated Incident Qualifications and Certification System Responder Master Record (RPTC028) from IQCS.

3. Decertification. Decertification of an individual’s ability to perform is the responsibility of the employing line officer at the Washington Office, region, forest, or district level. Decertification records shall be maintained in the employee development folder (EDF), which is maintained by employee’s work supervisor.

4. Users of the IQCS System must take the IQCS course. Logging into IQCS indicates the user’s consent to the Terms of Service for applications hosted by the Bureau of Land Management –Fire and Aviation Directorate. The Terms of Service identifies the conditions of use, privileged access, and commitment to uphold security requirements within IQCS. This includes commitment to adequately protect and not share individual user IDs and passwords. In support of these agreements, all those Agency employees that have authorized access to IQCS shall maintain strict access/security protocol. If they are found in violation of the protocol, their access will be suspended and the following mitigation(s) will apply:

   First Violation: The supervisor, certifying official or staff officer shall determine the violation causal factor(s) and develop a mitigation plan of action. Causal factors may include, but not be limited to, inordinate volume of data entry; insufficient authorized staff; inappropriately targeted account holder; insufficient protection of user ID and password; pressure to share access, etc. The plan of action will require total mitigation by the represented unit. Individual access will be reinstated after the plan is completed and submitted to and approved by the Agency IQCS Representative.

   Second Violation: Re-evaluation of first violation mitigation. Removal of access until the user completes a review of IQCS “Terms of Service” associated with security responsibilities.

   Third Violation: Permanent removal of IQCS access.
2.23 POSITION TASK BOOKS

The Position Task Book (PTB) identifies all critical tasks required to perform the job for most standard incident management and prescribed fire positions. Position Task Book Responsibilities are contained within the *NWCG Standards for Wildland Fire Position Qualifications*, PMS 310-1.

When a new or revised PTB is published, current trainees with an initiated PTB (including those individuals re-initiating or re-certifying) and at least one documented experience should continue to use their current PTB. Individuals with no tasks completed will use the new or revised PTB. Currently qualified individuals will not be affected by the transition to new or revised PTBs.

1. An individual may not have more than six active PTBs at one time. No more than two of the six allowed PTBs may be in a single functional area, including prescribed fire positions. Each separate position in a shared task book will be counted individually. (For example, CRWB/ENGB will be considered as two separate task books). The functional areas include:
   - Command
   - Prescribed Fire
   - Operations
   - Air Operations
   - Planning
   - Logistics
   - Finance/Administration
   - Prevention and Investigation
   - Incident Support and Associated Activities (examples includes Expanded Dispatch or Wildland Fire Investigation).

2. In a few instances, agency or interagency PTBs have been developed for positions outside those identified in PMS 310-1. Where these PTBs exist and have a Forest Service Logo on the front page, they shall be used to complete performance evaluations. The PTBs will be reviewed for qualification using the same procedures as those sponsored by NWCG.

3. For positions that do not have a PTB, the Forest Qualification Review Committee shall review and recommend to the certifying official an individual's certification and qualification, based on objective factors such as performance evaluations and visual observation of satisfactory performance of position duties.
2.24 CURRENCY REQUIREMENTS

1. Currency requirements are contained in PMS 310-1. Currency requirements for air operations positions may also be met by performing on a day-to-day basis or on special projects, such as aerial spraying, search and rescue, and aerial ignition on prescribed burns. The day-to-day operational standards for these positions are governed by the procedures outlined in the Interagency Helicopter Operations Guide (IHOG).

Currency requirements for Security Manager (SECM) and for Security Specialist Type 1 (SEC1) may also be met by employment in good standing as a Forest Service Criminal Investigator or Law Enforcement Officer performing security and law enforcement work.

The day-to-day operational standards for these positions are governed by the procedures outlined in FSM 5300 and FSH 5309.11 and must be followed in order to meet the currency standard. Such law enforcement personnel meeting these currency requirements shall be identified as provided for in FSH 5109.17, Zero Code, Section 04.1-2 and Section 04.3-3.

2. Position experience is considered as qualifying only if the individual has previously met all prerequisite experience requirements for the position assignment.

3. If a position currency on an individual’s Qualifications Card expires while they are performing that position on an assignment, the individual shall be allowed to complete the assignment. However, they shall not be reassigned in any expired position by the incident or home unit until they have re-established currency through the FQRC for that position.

2.25 RECERTIFICATION

Management evaluation of an individual's competency is key to recertification where qualifications have expired.

If currency has lapsed, the individual shall revert to the trainee level in the position for which currency has lapsed and shall be issued a PTB for the position, complete on-the-job-training if needed, complete any additional required training courses which have been added to the position for which they are attempting to recertify and requalify in the related position performance assignment. This does NOT tier down to the lowest level.
2.26 DECERTIFICATION

The decertification procedures in this section are intended to ensure safe and effective individual performance in assigned ICS, Wildfire Skill, Technical Specialist, and Prescribed Fire Skill positions. These procedures are also intended to provide supervisors and managers with an additional mechanism to ensure employee safety.

Decertification is the process of removing or reducing an individual’s fire suppression and/or prescribed fire management position(s) qualifications. Decertification is not an adverse action; an employee may be recertified according to the procedures set out in section 2.25.

1. Performance Issues Outside Fire Suppression and Prescribed Fire Management. Different procedures are utilized to address individual performance issues in areas other than fire suppression and prescribed fire management. Refer to Agency Human Resources Policy.

2. Causes for Decertification. There are three causes for losing certification:

   a. An employee who currently holds a certification does not meet the currency requirements as specified by this Guide.

   b. An employee voluntarily surrenders the employee’s certification of qualifications or requests to be qualified at a lower level of responsibility.

   c. As an individual or a member of a crew, incident management team, or prescribed fire team, an employee performs actions that violate recognized standard operational procedures or identified safety procedures that are determined to have been instrumental in the endangerment of fire management personnel or the public.

   Examples of instances that may warrant decertification include:

      1) Deliberately disregarding identified safe practices.

      2) Taking insubordinate actions that lead to unsafe conditions.

      3) Intentionally misrepresenting fire qualifications.

      4) Ignoring prescriptive parameters identified in approved burn plans.

3. Performance Evaluation and Documentation. Performance of personnel shall be evaluated on each incident. The Forest Service shall utilize the adopted interagency team and Individual Performance Rating forms (or recognized equivalent) when evaluating the performance of individuals.

   All actions that violate established safety procedures shall be documented; associated deficient performance evaluations must also be completed. Performance reviews, especially those that trigger consideration of decertification, shall be coordinated and tracked.
   a. Incident Commander. The incident commander and local unit manager are responsible for providing oversight of the initial performance review process. Inherent within the authority delegated to all incident commanders is the responsibility to relieve from assignment and demobilize any personnel for safety violations. Incident Commanders, however, do not have the authority to decertify individuals. Incident Commanders are responsible for providing documented reasons for relieving an individual, forwarding the information to the individual’s home unit, and including a copy of the individual’s performance rating in the documentation package.
   b. Unit Fire Program Manager. The Unit Fire Program Manager at the home unit is responsible for initiating an administrative review to determine if decertification is appropriate.

   Any decision to decertify an individual should include a determination of whether remedial actions are appropriate to recertify the individual and a description of the recommended remedial actions.

   During an evaluation of decertification, individual qualifications may be temporarily suspended. Judgments about qualifications can be made through expert mentoring, independent assessment, or the line officer’s judgment relating to the individual’s performance capabilities.
   c. Washington Office, Regional and Forest Qualification Review Committee. The Washington Office, Regional Office, and Forest Qualification review committees are a key component in the certification and decertification of individuals. Qualification review committees should operate according to procedures delineated in other sections of this handbook and in FSM 5120.

   Qualification Review Committees shall review individual qualifications and certification and shall address and recommend to the certifying official decertification for anyone they have reviewed for certification. If the review occurs at the forest level, the individual reviewed shall have appeal rights with the Regional Qualification Review Committee. If the review occurs at the regional level, the individual reviewed shall have appeal rights with the Washington Office Qualification Review Committee.

5. Individuals Relieved from Fire Assignment. Individuals who have been relieved from an assignment shall not be reassigned to any incident until the certifying official approves the suitability of the individual to perform the duties associated with the qualifications for the position.

6. Interagency Teams. Interagency teams or groups fall outside Forest Service authority. These teams or groups function and operate at the sole discretion of the chartering group. Teams or groups may be formed, disbanded, held in abeyance, or re-formed at the discretion of the appropriate level of the chartering interagency group, according to applicable standards for each team. Examples of these interagency teams or groups are:
a. Area Command teams chartered and formed by the National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group.

b. National Type 1 teams chartered by geographic area coordinating groups.

c. Area Type 2 teams chartered by geographic area coordinating groups or by an individual sub-geographic area group.

7. Crews. Type 1 crews are decertified according to procedures outlined in the Standards for IHC Operations (SIHCO). Type 2 or Type 2 IA crews are decertified on a geographic or sub-geographic area basis.

2.3 PHYSICAL FITNESS STANDARDS AND DEFINITIONS

Minimum physical fitness standards for positions are contained within the PMS 310-1. Fitness standards for Technical Specialist positions can be found in the Federal Wildland Fire Qualifications Supplement to NWCG PMS 310-1.

2.31 PHYSICAL FITNESS REQUIREMENTS

Requirements for physical fitness are identified as arduous, moderate, light, and none required.

Reference the NWCG Standards for Wildland Fire Position Qualifications, PMS 310-1 for descriptions.

Personnel taking the work capacity test (WCT) will only complete the level of testing (pack, field, walk) required by the highest fitness level identified for a position on their Incident Qualification Card. To further clarify, employees shall not take the WCT unless they have an incident qualification that requires it, and only at the fitness level required by that position as identified in this document.

The WCT is valid for 13 months.

For any position assigned to the fireline for non-suppression tasks, the required physical fitness level shall be “Light”. Visitors to the line are not “assigned to the line for non-suppression tasks” and therefore are subject to incident commander discretion and/or the guidelines as addressed in “Visits to the Fireline”, “Non-Escorted Visits” and/or “Escorted Visits” in the Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations (Red Book), if applicable.

2.32 PHYSICAL FITNESS MEASUREMENT

The WCT is the physical fitness measurement recognized by the Forest Service. The WCT Administrator must follow all requirements outlined in the WCT Administrators Guide. An automated external defibrillator (AED) and Emergency Medical personnel must be present at the test site. Unit Fire Management is responsible for ensuring this occurs.
2.33 FITNESS DEVELOPMENT

Fire personnel required to meet the arduous level for their assigned wildland fire positions shall be provided official time for rigorous exercise to prepare for and maintain the arduous level:

1. Fire funded employees (assigned to fire crews and identified in the Fire Management Action Plan) shall be allowed up to 5 hours per week of physical training when not engaged in wildland fire operations.

2. Employees not funded by fire shall be allowed up to 3 hours per week of physical training, consistent with the local wellness programs. The applicable time is up to 6 months prior to scheduled testing and after passing the test, until the end of the proclaimed fire season. Fire program funds may be used for approved physical training time based on guaranteed availability for fire-related assignments.

The employees and their supervisors shall discuss and schedule opportunities during the work week for fitness activities.

2.4 MEDICAL STANDARDS

All arduous duty fire positions are required to meet Federal Interagency Wildland Firefighter Medical Standards. These basic Standards are the same for Forest Service and Department of Interior wildland fire personnel with arduous duties. The Standards establish the minimum levels of medical fitness for arduous duty that the agency has determined to be necessary for the safe and efficient performance of the job based on 5 CFR Part 339 Medical Qualifications Determinations. Each of the medical qualification standards listed in this document is subject to clinical interpretation by the agency reviewing medical officer. Listed with the standards are examples of medical conditions and/or physical impairments that MAY be found to be disqualifying. Assessments will be made on a case-by-case basis to determine the individual’s ability to meet the medical qualification standards. Visit the standards website and the NIFC website for more information.

2.5 MEDICAL QUALIFICATIONS PROGRAM

All fire personnel with a fitness level requirement of LIGHT, MODERATE, OR ARDUOUS must complete medical screening and be determined to be medically qualified by the agency reviewing medical officer prior to taking any level of the Work Capacity Test (WCT). The current medical screening process as well as the future arduous medical screening process are described in the WCT Implementation Guide.

Each individual is responsible for their own physical condition and health. No amount of health screening or medical examination can absolutely ensure an individual’s safety during a work capacity test or fire management activities.
2.6 INCIDENT QUALIFICATION CARD

2.61 PMS 310-3, INCIDENT QUALIFICATION CARD SIGNING AUTHORITY

Signing Authority for Incident Response Qualifications Cards resides in the FSH 5109.17, Zero Code, 04-Responsibility.

Certification and documentation requirements must be met prior to signature of Form PMS 310-3, Incident Qualification Card.

Qualification and certification of employees shall be performed by the “hosting” forest which mobilizes the employee. This includes employees in the Information Services Organization (ISO), Albuquerque Service Center (ASC), Research Stations, Law Enforcement and Investigations, Job Corps Civilian Conservation Centers and so forth.

For further direction on delegations of authority and responsibility for positions in the Fire and Aviation Management Program, see FSM 1230 and FSM 5100.

Incident Qualifications Card expiration dates:

a. Positions requiring work capacity tests (WCT) are valid through the fitness expiration date listed on the card (13 months).

b. Positions not requiring WCT for issuance are valid for 13 months from the date the card was signed by a certifying official.

c. Positions requiring the annual RT-130 as identified in Chapter 2, part 1 and 2, are valid through the training expiration date listed on the card.

2.7 POSITION QUALIFICATIONS

2.71 NWCG POSITIONS

The Incident and Position Standards Committee (IPSC) have established minimum position qualification standards for four of the position categories: Incident Command System, Wildland Fire, Incident Support, and Associated Activities. Those minimum standards are contained within the PMS 310-1.

Chapter 2, part 1, Exhibit 01 provides the minimum position standards contained within the PMS 310-1, as well as the Forest Service supplement including training requirements, experience, physical requirements, and other positions meeting currency requirements for the four position categories.

Technical Specialists

Technical Specialists are personnel with specialized skills gained through educational degree programs or industry training of established standards. These personnel may perform the same duties during an incident that they perform in their regular job and may have supplemental training in order to use their specialized skills in the incident environment.
Although position codes have been assigned to Technical Specialist positions that can be used within the ICS, no minimum qualifications have been established by NWCG. Standards for Technical Specialist qualifications are Agency determined.

Federal agencies have consolidated minimum standards and information for frequently used positions not included in this Guide. A link to the *Federal Wildland Fire Qualifications Supplement* is located on the IQCS website.

Chapter 2, part 2 of the *Forest Service Fire and Aviation Qualifications Guide* will be eliminated and position qualifications requirements will be reflected in this Interagency Qualifications Supplement document.

For titles and position codes of identified Technical Specialists, see the IQCS website.
Incident Command System Positions

Positions with an * have agency-established qualifications and no NWCG PTB.

Agency Representative (AREP)*
Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)
Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)
Air Tactical Group Supervisor (ATGS)
Area Command Aviation Coordinator (ACAC)
Area Commander (ACDR)
Assistant Area Commander, Logistics (ACLC)
Assistant Area Commander, Planning (ACPC)
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)
Claims Specialist (CLMS)
Commissary Manager (CMSY)
Communications Unit Leader (COML)
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)
Compensation-for-Injury Specialist (INJR)
Cost Unit Leader (COST)
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Documentation Unit Leader (DOCL)
Equipment Manager (EQPM)
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
Food Unit Leader (FDUL)
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
Helibase Manager (HEBM)
Helicopter Coordinator (HLCO)
Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Incident Communications Center Manager (INCM)
Incident Communications Technician (COMT)
Liaison Officer (LOFR)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Medical Unit Leader (MEDL)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)*
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)
Public Information Officer (PIOF)
Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)
Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Security Manager (SECM)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)*
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)
Staging Area Manager (STAM)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)
Strike Team Leader Crew (STCR)
Strike Team Leader Engine (STEN)
Strike Team Leader Heavy Equipment (STEQ)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)*
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

**Wildland Fire Positions**

Wildland fire positions: Needed specifically for wildfire and prescribed fire.

Advanced Faller (FAL1)
Basic Faller (FAL3)
Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)
Crew Representative (CREP)
Engine Boss, Single Resource (ENGB)
Felling Boss, Single Resource (FELB)
Field Observer (FOBS)
Fire Behavior Analyst (FBAN)
Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Firing Boss, Single Resource (FIRB)
Heavy Equipment Boss, Single Resource (HEQB)
Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)
Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)
Intermediate Faller (FAL2)
Long Term Fire Analyst (LTAN)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 1 (RXM1)
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 2 (RXM2)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
**Incident Support Positions**

Incident support positions: Used in support of incident management but not necessarily directly attached to an incident or ICS organization.

- Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)
- Aircraft Dispatcher (ACDP)
- Deck Coordinator (DECK)
- Display Processor (DPRO)
- Expanded Dispatch Coordinator (CORD)
- Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
- Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP)
- Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)
- Geographic Information System Specialist (GISS)
- Human Resource Specialist (HRSP)
- Incident Business Advisor (INBA)
- Incident Contract Project Inspector (ICPI)
- Incident Training Specialist (TNSP)
- Infrared Interpreter (IRIN)
- Initial Attack Dispatcher (IADP)
- Interagency Resource Representative (IARR)*
- Radio Operator (RADO)
- Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)

**Associated Activities Positions**

Associated activities positions: Needed for associated activities not directly involved in or in support of an incident.

- Fire Prevention Education Team Leader (PETL)
- Fire Prevention Education Team Member (PETM)
- Wildland Fire Investigation Team Member (INTM)
- Wildland Fire Investigator (INVF)
2.71 – Exhibit 01

QUALIFICATIONS FOR COMMAND POSITIONS
Area Commander (ACDR)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Area Command (S-620)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Assistant Area Commander Planning (ACPC)
  +
  Completion and Certification of PTB as an Area Commander (ACDR)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Assistant Area Commander Logistics (ACLC)
  +
  Completion and Certification of PTB as an Area Commander (ACDR)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1) on a National Type 1 Incident Management Team
  +
  Completion and Certification of PTB as an Area Commander (ACDR)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ACDR
Assistant Area Commander Logistics (ACLC)
Assistant Area Commander Planning (ACPC)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)

ACDR MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Assistant Area Commander Logistics (ACLC)
Assistant Area Commander Planning (ACPC)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Advanced Incident Management (S-520) or Complex Incident Management Course (CIMC)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ICT1
Area Commander (ACDR)
Assistant Area Commander Logistics (ACLC)
Assistant Area Commander Planning (ACPC)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)

ICT1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Agency Representative (AREP)
Area Commander (ACDR)
Assistant Area Commander Logistics (ACLC)
Assistant Area Commander Planning (ACPC)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Liaison Officer (LOFR)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
ICT1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS (cont.)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Command and General Staff (S-420) or Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
+ Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
+ Satisfactory performance as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
+ Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
+ Satisfactory performance as a Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
+ Satisfactory performance as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required
310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ICT2
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)

ICT2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Agency Representative (AREP)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Liaison Officer (LOFR)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Incident Commander (E/L950)
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Extended Attack Incident Commander (S-300)
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Incident Leadership (L-381)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
  + Satisfactory performance as a Task Force Leader (TFLD)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
  OR
Satisfactory position performance as an Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
  + Satisfactory performance as Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
  + Satisfactory performance in any two Single Resource Boss positions (one must be CRWB or ENGB)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ICT3
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN, STEQ)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
ICT3 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, HEQB, ENGB, FELB, FIRB)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN, STEQ)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Incident Leadership (L-381)
Type 3 All-Hazard Incident Management Team (O-305)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Initial Attack Incident Commander (S-200)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Followership to Leadership (L-280)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance in any Single Resource Boss position including (CRWB, HEQB, ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HMGB)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ICT4
Air Tactical Group Supervisor (ATGS)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, HEQB, ENGB, FELB, FIRB)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN, STEQ)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

ICT4 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, HEQB, ENGB, FELB, FIRB)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Firing Operations (S-219)
Fire Operations in the Wildland/Urban Interface (S-215)
Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING  
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)  
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)  
Firefighter Type 1 (S-131)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE  
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL  
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ICT5  
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)  
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)

ICT5 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS  
Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)  
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)  
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS  
Portable Pumps and Water Use (S-211)  
Wildland Fire Chain Saws (S-212)

Note: The ICT5 position is not prerequisite to the NWCG Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4) position.

Note: The Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1) and Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5) PTBs are combined. However, the positions are not combined. The FFT1 tasks are completed only once; additional tasks must be completed to meet the ICT5 level. The FFT1 and ICT5 tasks can be completed simultaneously. The required experience is satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2).
Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Advanced Incident Management (S-520) or Complex Incident Management Course (CIMC)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SOF1
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)

SOF1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)  
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)  
Command and General Staff (S-420) or Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SOF2
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)  
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)  
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)  
Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)  
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)

SOF2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)  
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)  
Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)  
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)  
Safety Officer (S-404)

Note: Once qualified as a SOF2, the SOFR qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented on a “verification/certification” page of the SOFR PTB.
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
OR Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SOFR
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN, STEQ)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

SOFR MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)
Engine Boss, Single Resource (ENGB)
Felling Boss, Single Resource (FELB)
Firing Boss, Single Resource (FIRB)
Heavy Equipment Boss, Single Resource (HEQB)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN, STEQ)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None

Note: The Safety Officer, Line (SOFR) position is not prerequisite to the NWCG Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2) position.
Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Advanced Incident Management (S-520) or Complex Incident Management Course (CIMC)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)*
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)*
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as a Safety Officer Type 1 (SOFI)*
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as a Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)*
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)*

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Public Information Officer Course (E/L952) prior to position Qualification.

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PIO1
Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)

PIO1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Command and General Staff (S-420) or Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Public Information Officer (PIOF)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
OR
Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)*
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
OR
Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)*
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
OR
Satisfactory performance as a Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)*
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
OR
Satisfactory performance as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)*
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)*

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Public Information Officer Course (E/L952) prior to position qualification

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PIO2
Public Information Officer (PIOF)
Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)

PIO2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Public Information Officer (PIOF)
Public Information Officer Type 1 (PIO1)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Public Information Officer (E/L952)
FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Public Information Officer (PIOF)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Firefighter Training:
   Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
   Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
   Firefighter Training (S-130)
   Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Introduction to Incident Information (S-203)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Public Information Officer (PIOF)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PIOF
Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)
PIOF MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Public Information Officer Type 2 (PIO2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE
AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Liaison Officer (LOFR)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Liaison Officer (LOFR)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR LOFR
Agency Representative (AREP)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)

LOFR MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Agency Representative (AREP)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
Advanced Incident Management (S-520)
Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)
Command and General Staff (S-420)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)
E/L 956 Liaison Officer
Agency Representative (AREP)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Agency established

FOREST SERVICE DESIRED EXPERIENCE
Desirable skills include a thorough orientation to applicable cooperative agreements and knowledge of Forest Service policies and procedures.

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR AREP
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Liaison Officer (LOFR)

AREP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Liaison Officer (LOFR)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Liaison Officer (E/L956)

Note: This is not a Command or General Staff position.
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 1 (RXM1)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

FOREST SERVICE CERTIFICATION
Prescribed Fire Workshop RT-300FS (Biennial)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Prescribed Fire Manager Type 1 (RXM1)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RXM1
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 2 (RXM2)

RXM1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fire Program Management, an Overview (M-581)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 2 (RXM2)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

FOREST SERVICE CERTIFICATION
Prescribed Fire Workshop RT-300FS (Biennial)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Prescribed Fire Manager Type 2 (RXM2)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RXM2
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)

RXM2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 1 (RXM1)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fire Program Management, an Overview (M-581)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Advanced Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-490)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Smoke Management Techniques (RX-410)

FOREST SERVICE CERTIFICATION
Prescribed Fire Workshop RT-300FS (Biennial from date of RXB2 certification)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RXB1
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 1 (RXM1)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)

RXB1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Single Resource Boss including (ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HEQB, CRWB)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Advanced Fire Effects (RX-510)
Fire Program Management, an Overview (M-581)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390)
Smoke Management Techniques (RX-410)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Prescribed Fire Implementation (RX-301)
Introduction to Fire Effects (RX-310)
Prescribed Fire Burn Plan Preparation (RX-341)

FOREST SERVICE CERTIFICATION
Prescribed Fire Workshop RT-300FS (Biennial from date of RXB2 certification)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firing Boss, Single Resource (FIRB)
+ Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RXB2
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 1 (RXM1)
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 2 (RXM2)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)

RXB2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Manager Type 2 (RXM2)
Single Resource Boss including (ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HEQB, CRWB)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)
Strike Team Leader Crew (STCR)
Strike Team Leader Engine (STEN)
Strike Team Leader Heavy Equipment (STEQ)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Introduction to Fire Effects (RX-310)
Prescribed Fire Burn Plan Preparation (RX-341)
Prescribed Fire Implementation (RX-301)
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QUALIFICATIONS FOR OPERATIONS POSITIONS
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Advanced Incident Management (S-520) or Complex Incident Management Course (CIMC)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)

+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR OSC1
Area Commander (ACDR)
Assistant Area Commander, Logistics (ACL C)
Assistant Area Commander, Planning (ACPC)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)

OSC1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Assistant Area Commander, Planning (ACPC)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Command and General Staff (S-420) or Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR OSC2
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)

OSC2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Operations Section Chief (S-430)
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Operations Section Chief (S-430)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR OPBD
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)

OPBD MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR OPS3
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

OPS3 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Single Resource Boss including (ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HEQB, CRWB)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Incident Leadership (L-381)
Type 3 All-Hazard Incident Management Team (O-305)

Note: Once qualified as DIVS or ICT3, the OPS3 qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented.
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS) +
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3) +
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR STPS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)

STPS MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Division/Group Supervisor (S-339)
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Incident Leadership (L-381)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Task Force Leader (TFLD)
  +
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
  +
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
  +
Satisfactory performance in any two Strike Team Leader positions (one must be STCR or STEN)
  +
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR DIVS
Air Tactical Group Supervisor (ATGS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
DIVS MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Crew Representative (CREP)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Branch Director (OPBD)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
Single Resource Boss including (ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HEQB, CRWB)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Incident Leadership (L-381)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Fire Operations in the Wildland/Urban Interface (S-215)
Task Force/Strike Team Leader (S-330)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Task Force Leader (TFLD)
  OR
Satisfactory performance in any two Single Resource Boss positions (one must be CRWB or ENGB)
  + Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Task Force Leader (TFLD)
  OR
Satisfactory performance in any two Strike Team Leader positions (STCR, STEQ, STEN)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR TFLD
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
TFLD MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Crew Representative (CREP)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Single Resource Boss including (ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HEQB, CRWB)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ, STEN)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390)

Note: The Task Force Leader (TFLD) and Strike Team Leader (STCR, STEQ, STEN) PTBs are combined. However, the positions are not combined. Strike Team Leader tasks are completed only once. The required experience for TFLD must be met before completing additional TFLD tasks.

Exception: Once qualified as a Strike Team Leader (STCR, STEQ, or STEN), any additional Strike Team Leader qualification will also qualify the individual as Task Force Leader—without having to complete the Task Force Leader PTB.

If a TFLD meets the prerequisite experience and qualifications of a STL, the appropriate STL qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented on a “verification/certification” page of the TFLD PTB.
Strike Team Leader Crew (STCR)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Fire Operations in the Wildland/Urban Interface (S-215)
Task Force/Strike Team Leader (S-330)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Strike Team Leader Crew (STCR)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR STCR
Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Strike Team Leader including (STEQ, STEN)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

STCR MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)
Crew Representative (CREP)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Strike Team Leader including (STEQ, STEN)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Area Intermediate Air Operations
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390)

Note: The Task Force Leader (TFLD) and Strike Team Leader (STCR, STEN, STEQ) PTBs are combined. However, the positions are not combined. Strike Team Leader tasks are completed only once. The required experience for TFLD must be met before completing additional TFLD tasks.

Upon satisfactory performance in the prerequisite Single Resource Boss position, the specific Strike Team Leader PTB may be initiated. Once qualified as a Strike Team Leader, any additional Single Resource Boss qualifications will also qualify the individual in that corresponding Strike Team Leader position—without having to complete the Strike Team Leader PTB for the new position—once agency certification is documented on the PTB “verification/certification” page.
Strike Team Leader Heavy Equipment (STEQ)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Fire Operations in the Wildland/Urban Interface (S-215)
Task Force/Strike Team Leader (S-330)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Heavy Equipment Boss, Single Resource (HEQB)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Strike Team Leader Heavy Equipment (STEQ)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR STEQ
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Heavy Equipment Boss, Single Resource (HEQB)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

STEQ MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Heavy Equipment Boss, Single Resource (HEQB)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Area Intermediate Air Operations
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390)

Note: The Task Force Leader (TFLD) and Strike Team Leader (STCR, STEN, STEQ) PTBs are combined. However, the positions are not combined. Strike Team Leader tasks are completed only once. The required experience for TFLD must be met before completing additional TFLD tasks.

Upon satisfactory performance in the prerequisite Single Resource Boss position, the specific Strike Team Leader PTB may be initiated. Once qualified as a Strike Team Leader, any additional Single Resource Boss qualifications will also qualify the individual in that corresponding Strike Team Leader position—without having to complete the Strike Team Leader PTB for the new position—once agency certification is documented on the PTB “verification/certification” page.
Strike Team Leader Engine (STEN)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Fire Operations in the Wildland/Urban Interface (S-215)
Task Force/Strike Team Leader (S-330)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Engine Boss, Single Resource (ENGB)
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Strike Team Leader Engine (STEN)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR STEN
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Engine Boss, Single Resource (ENGB)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

STEN MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Engine Boss, Single Resource (ENGB)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEQ)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Area Intermediate Air Operations
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390)

Note: The Task Force Leader (TFLD) and Strike Team Leader (STCR, STEN, STEQ) PTBs are combined. However, the positions are not combined. Strike Team Leader tasks are completed only once. The required experience for TFLD must be met before completing additional TFLD tasks.

Upon satisfactory performance in the prerequisite Single Resource Boss position, the specific Strike Team Leader PTB may be initiated. Once qualified as a Strike Team Leader, any additional Single Resource Boss qualifications will also qualify the individual in that corresponding Strike Team Leader position—without having to complete the Strike Team Leader PTB for the new position—once agency certification is documented on the PTB “verification/certification” page.
Crew Representative (CREP)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)

Completion and Certification of PTB as a Crew Representative (CREP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR CREP
Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Interagency Resource Representative (IARR)
Strike Team Leader Crew (STCR)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

CREP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
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Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Crew Boss (Single Resource) (S-230)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Followership to Leadership (L-280)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Crew Boss, Single Resource (CRWB)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR CRWB
Crew Representative (CREP)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Single Resource Boss including (ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HMGB, HEQB)
Strike Team Leader Crew (STCR)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

CRWB MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Crew Representative (CREP)
Field Observer (FOBS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)
Single Resource Boss including (ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HEQB)
Strike Team Leader Crew (STCR)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Air Operations (S-270)
Firing Operations (S-219)
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Heavy Equipment Boss, Single Resource (HEQB)
Position Category: Wildland Fire

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Crew Boss (Single Resource) (S-230)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Followership to Leadership (L-280)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Heavy Equipment Boss, Single Resource (HEQB)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR HEQB
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HMGB)
Strike Team Leader Heavy Equipment (STEQ)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

HEQB MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Field Observer (FOBS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, ENGB, FELB, FIRB)
Strike Team Leader Heavy Equipment (STEQ)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Air Operations (S-270)
Firing Operations (S-219)
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Heavy Equipment Boss (Single Resource) (S-236)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
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Engine Boss, Single Resource (ENGB)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Crew Boss (Single Resource) (S-230)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Fire Operations in the Urban Interface (S-215)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
  +
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Engine Boss, Single Resource (ENGB)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ENGB
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, FELB, FIRB, HMGB, HEQB)
Strike Team Leader Engine (STEN)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

ENGB MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Field Observer (FOBS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, FELB, FIRB, HEQB)
Strike Team Leader Engine (STEN)
**310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS**

- Basic Air Operations (S-270)
- Engine Boss (Single Resource) (S-231)
- Firing Operations (S-219)
- Followership to Leadership (L-280)
- Geographic Area Engine Academy
- Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Felling Boss, Single Resource (FELB)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Crew Boss (Single Resource) (S-230)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Followership to Leadership (L-280)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
+ 
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Felling Boss, Single Resource (FELB)

FOREST SERVICE REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Past position performance as a FAL2 or higher. Does not have to maintain currency in this position
AND
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
AND
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Felling Boss (FELB) on a wildfire or prescribed fire.

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FELB
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, ENGB, FIRB, HMGB, HEQB)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

FELB MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Field Observer (FOBS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, ENGB, FIRB, HEQB)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Air Operations (S-270)
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Wildland Fire Chain Saws (S-212)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Area Chainsaw Training
Firing Operations (S-219)
Firing Boss, Single Resource (FIRB)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Crew Boss (Single Resource) (S-230)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Firing Operations (S-219)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Firing Boss, Single Resource (FIRB)

FOREST SERVICE REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter 1 (FFT1)
AND Completion and Certification of PTB as a Firing Boss, Single Resource (FIRB) on a wildfire or prescribed fire.

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FIRB
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Safety Officer, Line (SOFR)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, FELB, ENGB, HMGB, HEQB)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

FIRB MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Field Observer (FOBS)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, FELB, ENGB, HEQB)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Air Operations (S-270)
Firing Operations (S-219)
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
`Staging Area Manager (STAM)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Firefighter Training:
   Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
   Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
   Firefighter Training (S-130)
   Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Staging Area Manager (STAM)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR STAM
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)

STAM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Staging Area Manager (J-236)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Firefighter Type 1 (S-131)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
  +
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FFT1
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, FIRB, ENGB, FELB, HMGB, HEQB)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN, STEQ)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

FFT1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)
Staging Area Manager (STAM)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE
AND SKILLS
Firing Operations (S-219)
Portable Pumps and Water Use (S-211)
Wildland Fire Chain Saws (S-212)

Note: The Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1) and Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5) PTBs are combined. However, the positions are not combined. The FFT1 tasks are completed only once; additional tasks must be completed to meet the ICT5 level. The FFT1 and ICT5 tasks can be completed simultaneously. The required experience is satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2).
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Firefighter Training:
  - Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
  - Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
  - Firefighter Training (S-130)
  - Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)*

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
None

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FFT2
Advanced Faller (FAL1)
Basic Faller (FAL3)
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)
Incident Commander Type 5 (ICT5)
Intermediate Faller (FAL2)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, FIRB, ENGB, FELB, HMGB, HEQB)
Strike Team Leader including (STCR, STEN, STEQ)
Structure Protection Specialist (STPS)
Task Force Leader (TFLD)

FFT2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE
AND SKILLS
None

*Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130) is not required for the first year as a Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2); however, it is required for subsequent years.

Note: For the Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2) position, satisfactory completion of the required training meets the position qualification requirements.
Advanced Faller (FAL1)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Follow Forest Service Manual (FSM) 2300, 2358 Saw Program

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED CERTIFICATION
Agency sawyer knowledge and field proficiency initial certification, and agency recertification every three years thereafter.
Current License/Certification in IQCS.

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Intermediate Faller (FAL2)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as an Advanced Faller (FAL1)*

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FAL1
None

FAL1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Basic Faller (FAL3)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Intermediate Faller (FAL2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Facilitative Instructor (M-410)
Firefighter Type 1 (S-131)
Firing Operations (S-219)
Portable Pumps and Water Use (S-211)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Wildland Fire Chain Saws (S-212)

*The use of the NWCG combined PTB for FAL1/2/3 position is not approved for the Forest Service. The agency specific evaluation process that documents sawyer certification is to be used in lieu of the PTB. If an employee’s initial evaluation is FAL1 the account manager shall grant the position competency for FAL2 and FAL3.
Intermediate Faller (FAL2)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Follow Forest Service Manual (FSM) 2300, 2358 Saw Program

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED CERTIFICATION
Agency sawyer knowledge and field proficiency initial certification, and agency recertification every three years thereafter.
Current License/Certification in IQCS.

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Basic Faller (FAL3) +
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Intermediate Faller (FAL2)*

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FAL2
Advanced Faller (FAL1)

FAL2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Basic Faller (FAL3)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Facilitative Instructor (M-410)
Firefighter Type 1 (S-131)
Firing Operations (S-219)
Portable Pumps and Water Use (S-211)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Wildland Fire Chain Saws (S-212)

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Basic Faller (FAL3)  
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING  
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)  
Wildland Fire Chain Saws (S-212)  

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING  
Follow Forest Service Manual (FSM) 2300, 2358 Saw Program

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED CERTIFICATION  
Agency sawyer knowledge and field proficiency initial certification, and agency recertification every three years thereafter.  
Current License/Certification in IQCS.

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE  
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Basic Faller (FAL3)*

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL  
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FAL3  
Advanced Faller (FAL1)  
Intermediate Faller (FAL2)

FAL3 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS  
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS  
Firefighter Type 1 (S-131)  
Firing Operations (S-219)  
Portable Pumps and Water Use (S-211)

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QUALIFICATIONS FOR AIR OPERATIONS POSITIONS
Area Command Aviation Coordinator (ACAC)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Area Command (S-620)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD) on a National Type 1 Incident Management Team
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Area Command Aviation Coordinator (ACAC)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ACAC
Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)

ACAC MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR 310-1 THESE POSITIONS
Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)
Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
Air Operations Branch Director (S-470)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR AOBD
Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)
Area Command Aviation Coordinator (ACAC)

AOBD MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)
Area Command Aviation Coordinator (ACAC)
Helibase Manager (HEBM)
Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Aviation Life Support Equipment (A-105)
Aviation Mishap Reporting (A-106)
Aviation Policy and Regulations I (A-107)
Aviation Radio Use (A-109)
Aviation Safety (A-101)
Crash Survival (A-113)
FAA NOTAM System (A-103)
Interagency Aviation Organizations (A-202)
Mishap Review (A-200)
Mission Planning and Flight Request Process (A-112)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS (cont.)
Aircraft Capabilities and Limitations (A-204)
Air Tactical Group Supervisor (S-378)
Aviation Policy and Regulations II (A-307)
Basic Airspace (A-203)
Human Factors in Aviation (A-303)
Implementing Aviation Safety and Accident Prevention (A-301)
Personal Responsibility and Liability (A-302)
Risk Management (A-305)
Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Air Support Group Supervisor (S-375)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Helibase Manager (HEBM)
+ Successful position performance as an Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ASGS
Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)
Area Command Aviation Coordinator (ACAC)

ASGS MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)
Helibase Manager (HEBM)
Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Air Support Group Supervisor (S-375)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Aircraft Capabilities and Limitations (A-204)
Aviation Life Support Equipment (A-105)
Aviation Mishap Reporting (A-106)
Aviation Policy and Regulations I (A-107)
Aviation Radio Use (A-109)
Aviation Safety (A-101)
Basic Airspace (A-203)
Crash Survival (A-113)
FAA NOTAM System (A-103)
Geographic Area Intermediate Air Operations
FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS (cont.)
Interagency Aviation Organizations (A-202)
Mishap Review (A-200)
Mission Planning and Flight Request Process (A-112)
Helibase Manager (HEBM)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Helibase Manager (S-371)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Aviation Transportation of Hazardous Materials (A-110) (Must complete every 3 years)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Helibase Manager (HEBM)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR HEBM
Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)
Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)
Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)

HEBM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)
Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)
Deck Coordinator (DECK)
Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)
Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
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Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Aviation Transportation of Hazardous Materials (A-110) (Triennial)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Helicopter Manager Workshop (RT-372) (Triennial)
Crew Boss (Single Resource) (S-230)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)
Helicopter Manager (S-372)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
FS Helicopter Transport of External Cargo (RT-219) (Must complete A-219 within 3 years and RT-219 every 3 years thereafter)
Firing Operations (S-219)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Basic Air Operations (S-270)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)
+ Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)

PHYSICAL FITNESS
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR HMGB
Air Operations Branch Director (AOBD)
Air Support Group Supervisor (ASGS)
Helibase Manager (HEBM)
Helicopter Coordinator (HLCO)

HMGB MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Field Observer (FOBS)
Firefighter Type 1 (FFT1)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
Helibase Manager (HEBM)
Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, FIRB, ENGB, FELB, HEQB)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Air Operations (S-270)
Contract Administration Skills
Firing Operations (S-219)
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)

Note: When Helicopter Managers are intended to be used for other missions, they must be ordered with additional qualifications such as ICT4, PLDO, Agency Exclusive Use Prerequisites, etc.
Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Aviation Transportation of Hazardous Material (A-110) (Triennial)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Helicopter Crewmember (S-271)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180) (if not obtained in S-130, 2003 revision)
FS Helicopter Transport of External Cargo (RT-219) (Must complete this training once every 3 years after completing S-271)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Arduous

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR HECM
Deck Coordinator (DECK)
Helibase Manager (HEBM)
Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)

HECM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
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Air Tactical Group Supervisor (ATGS)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Agency Approved Crew Resource Management (CRM) Training*
Aerial Supervision (S-378) (Triennial)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
CRM 7 Skills Refresher (RT-9059F)
Triennial; after completion of N-9059. (Must complete the RT-9059F every 3 years).

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Air Tactical Group Supervisor (ATGS)
OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Air Tactical Group Supervisor (ATGS)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ATGS
None

ATGS MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Helicopter Coordinator (HLCO)
Incident Commander Type 4 (ICT4)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
National Aerial Firefighting Academy (NAFA)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Aerial Retardant Application and Use
Aircraft Capabilities and Limitations (A-204)
Aviation Acquisition and Procurement (A-206)
Aviation Life Support Equipment (A-105)
Aviation Mishap Reporting (A-106)
FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS (cont.)
Aviation Planning (A-311)
Aviation Policy and Regulations I (A-107)
Aviation Policy and Regulations II (A-307)
Aviation Radio Use (A-109)
Aviation Safety—All Aircraft (A-101)
Basic Airspace (A-203)
Crash Survival (A-113)
FAA NOTAM System (A-103)
Human Factors in Aviation (A-303)
Implementing Aviation Safety and Accident Prevention (A-301)
Interagency Aviation Organizations (A-202)
Mission Planning and Flight Request Process (A-112)
Mishap Review (A-200)
Personal Responsibility and Liability (A-302)
Risk Management (A-305)

Reference materials for this position are contained in the Interagency Aerial Supervision Guide.

*FS approved training is Crew Resource Management 7 Skills (N-9059)
Helicopter Coordinator (HLCO)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Air Tactical Group Supervisor (S-378)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Task Force Leader (TFLD)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Helicopter Coordinator (HLCO)
OR
Satisfactory performance in one Strike Team Leader position (STCR, STEQ, STEN)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Helicopter Coordinator (HLCO)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR HLCO
Air Tactical Group Supervisor (ATGS)

HLCO MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Helicopter Manager, Single Resource (HMGB)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE
AND SKILLS
None
Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
FAA NOTAM System (A-103)
Automated Flight Following (A-115)
Basic Airspace (A-203)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
Basic Air Operations (S-270)
Single Engine Airtanker Manager (S-273)
Single Engine Airtanker Manager Workshop (RT-273) (Must complete every 3 years)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as Ramp Manager (RAMP)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SEMG
Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)
Fixed Winged Base Manager (FWBM)

SEMG MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Aircraft Timekeeper (ATIM))
Fixed Winged Parking Tender (FWPT)
Ramp Manager (RAMP)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Firefighter Training:
  Firefighter Training (S-130)
  Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
  Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (D-110)
Deck Coordinator (DECK)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED TRAINING
Aviation Transportation of Hazardous Materials (A-110) (Must complete every 3 years)
Helicopter Transport of External Cargo (A-219) (Must complete RT-219 every 3 years after attending either A-219 or S-271)
FS Helicopter Transport of External Cargo (RT-219) (Must complete A-219 within 3 years and every 3 years thereafter if S-271 was not taken)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Deck Coordinator (DECK)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR DECK
Helibase Manager (HEBM)

DECK MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)
Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ABRO
Deck Coordinator (DECK)
Helibase Manager (HEBM)
Helicopter Crewmember (HECM)
Radio Operator (RADO)

ABRO MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Aircraft Dispatcher (ACDP)
Radio Operator (RADO)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Aircraft Timekeeper (ATIM)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Aircraft Radio Use (A-109)
Aviation Policy and Regulation (A-107)
Automated Flight Following (A-115)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)
    OR
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Aircraft Timekeeper (ATIM)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ATIM
Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)
Fixed Wing Base Manager (FWBM)
Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)

ATIM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
None

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Aviation Business System Training
Overview of Aircraft Capabilities and Limitations (A-104)
Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Aviation Safety (A-100)
FAA NOTAM System (A-103)
Aviation Transport of Hazardous Materials (A-110); (Triennial)
Mission Planning and Flight Request Process (A-112)
Automated Flight Following (A-115)
Interagency Aviation Organizations (A-202)
Aircraft Capabilities and Limitations (A-204)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
Basic ICS: ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
National Incident Management System, An Introduction (IS-700)
Airtanker Base Managers Workshop (N-9057); (Triennial)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Ramp Manager (RAMP)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ATBM
Fixed Wing Base Manager (FWBM)

ATBM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
Aircraft Timekeeper (ATIM)
Fixed Wing Base Manager (FWBM)
Fixed Wing Parking Tender (FWPT)
Ramp Manager (RAMP)
Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Aviation Business System Training
Contracting Officer Representative Training
Geographic Area Airtanker Base Manager Training
Fixed Wing Base Manager (FWBM)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Aviation Safety (A-100)
FAA NOTAM System (A-103)
Aviation Transport of Hazardous Materials (A-110); (Triennial)
Mission Planning and Flight Request Process (A-112)
Automated Flight Following (A-115)
Mishap Review (A-200)
Interagency Aviation Organizations (A-202)
Basic Airspace (A-203)
Aircraft Capabilities and Limitation (A-204)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
Basic ICS: ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
National Incident Management System, An Introduction (IS-700)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Ramp Manager (RAMP)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Fixed Wing Base Manager (FWBM)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FWBM
Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)

FWBM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)
Aircraft Timekeeper (ATIM)
Fixed Wing Parking Tender (FWPT)
Ramp Manager (RAMP)
Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Area Fixed Wing Base Manager Training
Geographic Area Intermediate Air Operations
Aviation Business System Training
Fixed Wing Parking Tender (FWPT)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Aviation Safety (A-100)
Overview of Aircraft Capabilities and Limitations (A-104)
Aircraft Radio Use (A-109)
General Awareness Security Training (A-116)
Fix Winged Hand Signals (A-117)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Fixed Wing Parking Tender (FWPT)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FWPT
Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)
Fixed Wing Base Manager (FWBM)
Ramp Manager (RAMP)
Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)

FWPT MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
None

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Local Ramp Orientation
Mixmaster (MXMS)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Aviation Safety (A-100)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
National Incident Management System, An Introduction (IS-700)
Basic Air Operations (S-270)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Retardant Crewmember (RTCM)
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Mixmaster (MXMS)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR MXMS
None

MXMS MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
Retardant Crewmember (RTCM)

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Area Mixmaster Training
Ramp Manager (RAMP)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Aviation Safety (A-100)
Aviation Policy and Regulations I (A-107)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
National Incident Management System, An Introduction (IS-700)
Basic Air Operations (S-270)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Fixed Wing Parking Tender (FWPT)
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Ramp Manager (RAMP)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RAMP
Airtanker Base Manager (ATBM)
Fixed Wing Base Manager (FWBM)
Fixed Wing Parking Tender (FWPT)
Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)

RAMP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
Fixed Wing Parking Tender (FWPT)
Single Engine Airtanker Manager (SEMG)

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Aircraft Capabilities and Limitations (A-204)
Aviation Transport of Hazardous Materials (A-110)
Retardant Crewmember (RTCM)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Aviation Safety (A-100)
Overview of Aircraft Capabilities and Limitations (A-104)
General Awareness Security Training (A-116)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
National Incident Management System, An Introduction (IS-700)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Retardant Crewmember (RTCM)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RTCM
Mixmaster (MXMS)

RTCM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
None

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Area Mixmaster Training
Unmanned Aircraft System, Data Specialist (UASD)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
National Incident Management System, An Introduction (IS-700)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Unmanned Aircraft System, Data Specialist (UASD)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR UASD
None

UASD MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
None

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Information System (GIS) Specialist for Incident Management (S-341)
Infrared Interpreter (S-443)
Unmanned Aircraft System, Module Leader (UASL)  
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
UAS Incident Operation Refresher (RT-373) (Triennial)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Unmanned Aircraft System Pilot (UASP)  
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Unmanned Aircraft System, Module Leader (UASL)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR UASL
Unmanned Aircraft System, Manager (UASM)

UASL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
Unmanned Aircraft System Pilot (UASP)

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Unmanned Aircraft System, Manager (UASM)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
UAS Incident Operation Refresher (RT-373); (Triennial)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Unmanned Aircraft System Pilot (UASP)
Completion and Certification of PTB as an UAS Manager (UASM)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR UASM
None

UASM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
Unmanned Aircraft System Pilot (UASP)
Unmanned Aircraft System, Module Leader (UASL)

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Followership to Leadership (L-280)
Unmanned Aircraft System Pilot (UASP)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
Basic ICS: ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
National Incident Management System, An Introduction (IS-700)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Agency Remote Pilot Certification (A-450 or equivalent)
UAS Incident Operations Refresher (RT-373) (Triennial)
UAS Incident Operations (S-373)

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Unmanned Aircraft System Pilot (UASP)

PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

THESE POSITIONS MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR UASP
Unmanned Aircraft System, Module Leader (UASL)

UASP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE POSITIONS
None

OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
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QUALIFICATIONS FOR PLANNING POSITIONS
Assistant Area Commander, Planning (ACPC)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Area Command (S-620)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander or General Staff on a National Type 1 Incident Management Team

+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Assistant Area Commander, Planning (ACPC)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ACPC
Area Commander (ACDR)
Assistant Area Commander, Logistics (ACLC)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)

ACPC MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Area Commander (ACDR)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)

(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced Incident Management (S-520) or Complex Incident Management Course (CIMC)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)*
  OR
Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)*
  OR
Satisfactory performance as a Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)*

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Planning Section Chief Course (S-440) prior to position qualification.

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PSC1
Area Commander (ACDR)
Assistant Area Commander, Planning (ACPC)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)

PSC1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Assistant Area Commander, Planning (ACPC)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
Command and General Staff (S-420) or Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Situation Unit Leader (SITL)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
    OR
  Completion and Certification of PTB as a Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
  OR
Satisfactory performance as a Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
    OR
Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)*
    OR
Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)*
    OR
Satisfactory performance as a Safety Officer Type 2 (SOF2)
  + Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)*

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Planning Section Chief Course (S-440) prior to position qualification.

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PSC2
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)
PSC2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
Documentation Unit Leader (DOCL)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)
Planning Section Chief (S-440)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Situation Unit Leader (SITL)
OR
Satisfactory performance as a Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
OR
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PSC3
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)

PSC3 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
Documentation Unit Leader (DOCL)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Incident Leadership (L-381)
Type 3 All-Hazard Incident Management Team (O-305)

Note: Once qualified as SITL, RESL, or ICT3, the PSC3 qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented on a “verification/certification” page of the PSC3 PTB.
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Situation Unit Leader (SITL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SITL
Field Observer (FOBS)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)

SITL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Display Processor (DPRO)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Situation Unit Leader (E/L964)
Field Observer (FOBS)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, HEQB, ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HMGB)

+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Field Observer (FOBS)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FOBS
Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)
Single Resource Boss including (CRWB, HEQB, ENGB, FELB, FIRB, HMGB)

FOBS MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Field Observer (S-244)
Geographic Information System Specialist (GISS)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Geographic Information System Specialist (GISS)

PHYSICAL FITNESS
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR GISS
None

GISS MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Display Processor (S-245)
Geographic Information System (GIS) Specialist for Incident Management (S-341)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Geographic Information System (GIS) Specialist for Incident Management (S-341)
Display Processor (DPRO)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Display Processor (DPRO)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR DPRO
Situation Unit Leader (SITL)

DPRO MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Display Processor (S-245)
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
None

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Resources Unit Leader (RESL) +
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR DMOB
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)

DMOB MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Resources Unit Leader/Demobilization Unit Leader (E/L965)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Resources Unit Leader (RESL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RESL
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)

RESL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Resources Unit Leader/Demobilization Unit Leader (E/L965)
Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Status/Check-In Recorder (SCKN)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SCKN
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)

SCKN MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Resources Unit Leader (RESL)
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
e-ISuite, All Modules (N-9062)
Status/Check-In Recorder (S-248)
Documentation Unit Leader (DOCL)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)  
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)  
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)  
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)  
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Documentation Unit Leader (DOCL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR DOCL
Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)  
Planning Section Chief Type 3 (PSC3)

DOCL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)  
Documentation Unit Leader (J-342)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Advanced Fire Management Applications (S-482)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)
+ Satisfactory performance as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SOPL
Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)
Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
Long Term Fire Analyst (LTAN)
Operations Section Chief Type 3, Wildland Fire (OPS3)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)

SOPL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 1 (RXB1)
Prescribed Fire Burn Boss Type 2 (RXB2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fire Program Management (M-581), an Overview
Long Term Fire Analyst (LTAN)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-390)
Advanced Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-490)
Intermediate National Fire Danger Rating System (S-491)
Geospatial Fire Analysis, Interpretation and Application (S-495)
Advanced Fire Behavior Interpretation (S-590)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Fire Behavior Analyst (FBAN)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Long Term Fire Analyst (LTAN)
OR
Satisfactory performance as a Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)
+ Satisfactory performance as a Firing Boss, Single Resource (FIRB)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Long Term Fire Analyst (LTAN)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR LTAN
Fire Behavior Analyst (FBAN)

LTAN MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)
Strategic Operational Planner (SOPL)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
BEHAVE PLUS
Smoke Management Techniques (RX-410)
Strategic Operational Planning (S-482)
Fire Behavior Analyst (FBAN)  
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING  
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)  
Advanced Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations (S-490)  
Advanced Fire Behavior Interpretation (S-590)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE  
Satisfactory performance as a Division/Group Supervisor (DIVS)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Fire Behavior Analyst (FBAN)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL  
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FBAN  
None

FBAN MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS  
Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)  
Long Term Fire Analyst (LTAN)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS  
Intermediate National Fire Danger Rating System (S-491)

Note: If an LTAN meets the prerequisite experience and qualifications of an FBAN, the certifying official may grant the FBAN qualification. Certification must be documented on a “verification/certification” page.
Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)
(Position Category: Wildland Fire)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2) +
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Fire Effects Monitor (FEMO)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Moderate

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FEMO
Field Observer (FOBS)
Fire Behavior Analyst (FBAN)
Long Term Fire Analyst (LTAN)

FEMO MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Field Observer (FOBS)
Firefighter Type 2 (FFT2)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Field Observer (S-244)
Introduction to Fire Effects (RX-310)
Incident Training Specialist (TNSP)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Training Specialist (TNSP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR TNSP
None

TNSP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Incident Training Specialist (S-445)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Incident Training Specialist (S-445)
Human Resource Specialist (HRSP)  
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)  
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)  
Human Resource Specialist Refresher Workshop (RT-340) (Triennial)  
Human Resource Specialist (S-340)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Human Resource Specialist (HRSP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR HRSP
None

HRSP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)  
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)  
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Interagency Resource Representative (IARR)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Agency established

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR IARR
None

IARR MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Crew Representative (CREP)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Infrared Interpreter (IRIN)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Infrared Interpreter (IRIN)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR IRIN
None

IRIN MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Infrared Interpreter (S-443)
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QUALIFICATIONS FOR LOGISTICS POSITIONS
Assistant Area Commander, Logistics (ACLC)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Area Command (S-620)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander or General Staff on a National Type 1 Incident Management Team
   + Completion and Certification of PTB as an Assistant Area Commander, Logistics (ACLC)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ACLC
Area Commander (ACDR)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)

ACLC MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Area Commander (ACDR)
Assistant Area Commander, Planning (ACPC)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced Incident Management (S-520) or Complex Incident Management Course (CIMC)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
OR
Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 1 (OSC1)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)*
OR
Satisfactory performance as a Planning Section Chief Type 1 (PSC1)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)*
OR
Satisfactory performance as a Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF1)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)*

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Logistics Section Chief Course (E/L967) prior to position qualification.

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR LSC1
Area Commander (ACDR)
Assistant Area Commander, Logistics (ACLC)
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)
LSC1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)
Equipment Manager (EQPM)
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING  
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)  
Command and General Staff (S-420) or Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE  
Satisfactory performance as a Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as an Operations Section Chief Type 2 (OSC2)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Planning Section Chief Type 2 (PSC2)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Safety Officer Type 1 (SOF2)  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Logistics Section Chief Course (E/L967) prior to position qualification.

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL  
None required
310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR LSC2
Assistant Area Commander, Logistics (**ACL**C)
Facilities Unit Leader (**FACL**)
Ground Support Unit Leader (**GSUL**)
Incident Commander Type 1 (**ICT1**)
Incident Commander Type 2 (**ICT2**)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (**LSC1**)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (**LSC3**)
Service Branch Director (**SVBD**)
Supply Unit Leader (**SPUL**)
Support Branch Director (**SUBD**)

LSC2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Base/Camp Manager (**BCMG**)
Equipment Manager (**EQPM**)
Facilities Unit Leader (**FACL**)
Ground Support Unit Leader (**GSUL**)
Incident Commander Type 1 (**ICT1**)
Incident Commander Type 2 (**ICT2**)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (**LSC1**)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (**LSC3**)
Ordering Manager (**ORDM**)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (**RCDM**)
Service Branch Director (**SVBD**)
Supply Unit Leader (**SPUL**)
Support Branch Director (**SUBD**)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE
AND SKILLS
Logistics Section Chief (S-450) or Logistics Section Chief (E/L967)
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)  
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)  
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)  
OR  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR LSC3
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)  
Equipment Manager (EQPM)  
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)  
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)  
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
Ordering Manager (ORDM)  
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)  
Service Branch Director (SVBD)  
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)  
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

LSC3 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)  
Equipment Manager (EQPM)  
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)  
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)  
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
Ordering Manager (ORDM)  
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)  
Service Branch Director (SVBD)  
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)  
Support Branch Director (SUBD)
310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS

Incident Leadership (L-381)
Type 3 All-Hazard Incident Management Team (O-305)

Note: Once qualified as SPUL, FACL, GSUL, or ICT3, the LSC3 qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented on a “verification/certification” page of the LSC3 PTB.
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
None

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SVBD
Communications Unit Leader (COML)
Food Unit Leader (FDUL)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Medical Unit Leader (MEDL)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

SVDB MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)
Equipment Manager (EQPM)
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Support Branch Director (SUBD)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
None

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SUBD
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)

SUBD MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)
Equipment Manager (EQPM)
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
Medical Unit Leader (MEDL)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)  
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)  
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)  
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)  
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)  
Medical Unit Leader (S-359)

FOREST SERVICE ANNUAL CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENT
Emergency Medical Technician (any)

FOREST SERVICE ANNUAL LICENSE REQUIREMENT
Current State (of origin) certification or licensure as any level of Emergency Medical Technician. May also require local certification in some jurisdictions. Licensure with the National Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Registry is not acceptable.

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Current certification as an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) or equivalent  
+  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Medical Unit Leader (MEDL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR MEDL
None

MEDL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Service Branch Director (SVBD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)  
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Communications Unit Leader (COML)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Communications Technician (COMT)
+ Satisfactory performance as an Incident Communications Center Manager (INCM)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Communications Unit Leader (COML)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR COML
Incident Communications Center Manager (INCM)
Incident Communications Technician (COMT)

COML MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Incident Communications Center Manager (INCM)
Incident Communications Technician (COMT)
Radio Operator (RADO)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Communications Unit Leader (S-358)
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Incident Communications Technician (COMT)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Communications Technician (COMT)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR COMT
Communications Unit Leader (COML)

COMT MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Communications Unit Leader (COML)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Firefighter Training:
  Firefighter Training (S-130)
  Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
  Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
Incident Communications Technician (S-258)
Incident Communications Center Manager (INCM)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Radio Operator (RADO) +
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Communications Center Manager (INCM)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR INCM
Communications Unit Leader (COML)

INCM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Communications Unit Leader (COML)
Radio Operator (RADO)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Incident Communications Center Manager (J-257)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Radio Operator (RADO)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Radio Operator (RADO)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RADO
Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)
Communications Unit Leader (COML)
Incident Communications Center Manager (INCM)
Initial Attack Dispatcher (IADP)

RADO MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Firefighter Training:
  Firefighter Training (S-130)
  Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
  Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
Radio Operator (J-158)
Food Unit Leader (FDUL)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)
Food Unit Leader (S-357)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Food Unit Leader (FDUL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FDUL
None

FDUL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Service Branch Director (SVBD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Ordering Manager (ORDM)
+ Satisfactory performance as a Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SPUL
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

SPUL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Supply Unit Leader (E/L970)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Ordering Manager (ORDM)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ORDM
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

ORDM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Supply Unit Leader (SPUL)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Ordering Manager (J-252)
Receiving and Distribution Manager (RCDM)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR RCDM
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Supply Unit Leader (ORDM)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

RCDM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)
Supply Unit Leader (ORDM)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Receiving and Distribution Manager (J-253)
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FACL
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Receiving/Distribution Manager (RCDM)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

FACL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Facilities Unit Leader (S-354)
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)  
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING  
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)  
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)  
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE  
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Base/Camp Manager (BCMG)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR BCMG  
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)  
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)  
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)  
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)  
Service Branch Director (SVBD)  
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

BCMG MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS  
Facilities Unit Leader (FACL)  
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS  
Base/Camp Manager (J-254)  
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)  
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)  
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
(Position Category: ICS)

**310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING**
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

**310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE**
Satisfactory performance as an Equipment Manager (EQPM)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)

**310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL**
None required

**310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR GSUL**
Equipment Manager (EQPM)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

GSUL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Equipment Manager (EQPM)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

**310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS**
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Ground Support Unit Leader (S-355)
Equipment Manager (EQPM)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Equipment Manager (EQPM)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR EQPM
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
Logistics Section Chief Type 1 (LSC1)
Logistics Section Chief Type 2 (LSC2)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)
Service Branch Director (SVBD)
Support Branch Director (SUBD)

EQPM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Ground Support Unit Leader (GSUL)
Logistics Section Chief Type 3 (LSC3)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Equipment Manager (J-255)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Security Manager (SECM)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Security Manager (SECM)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and certification of PTB as Security Manager (SECM)
+ Completion of Forest Protection Officer Training
  OR
Successful completion of basic land management police training program**
  OR
A criminal investigator training program conducted by the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center**

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR SECM
None

SECM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Security Manager (J-259)

**Certification of a Security Manager who has met this required experience does not include completion of a position task book. Competency for the position task book can be granted by indicating the year of completion of the training programs provided.
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QUALIFICATIONS FOR
FINANCE/ADMINISTRATION POSITIONS
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Advanced Incident Management (S-520) or Complex Incident Management Course (CIMC)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FSC1
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)

FSC1 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Cost Unit Leader (COST)
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
None
**Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)**  
(Position Category: ICS)

**310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING**  
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)  
Command and General Staff (S-420) or Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)

**310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE**  
Satisfactory performance as a Time Unit Leader (TIME)  
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Cost Unit Leader (COST)  
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)  
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)  
OR  
Satisfactory performance as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)  
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)

**310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL**  
None required

**310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FSC2**  
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)  
Cost Unit Leader (COST)  
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)  
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)  
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)  
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)  
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)  
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

**FSC2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS**  
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)  
Cost Unit Leader (COST)  
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)  
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)  
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)  
Incident Commander Type 1 (ICT1)  
Incident Commander Type 2 (ICT2)
FSC2 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS (cont.)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Finance/Administration Section Chief (E/L973)
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
(Position Category: ICS)

REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Time Unit Leader (TIME)
OR
Satisfactory performance as a Cost Unit Leader (COST)
OR
Satisfactory performance as an Incident Commander Type 3 (ICT3)
OR
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR FSC3
Cost Unit Leader (COST)
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

FSC3 MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)
Cost Unit Leader (COST)
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Incident Leadership (L-381)
Type 3 All-Hazard Incident Management Team (O-305)

Note: Once qualified as TIME, COST, or ICT3, the FSC3 qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented on a “verification/certification” page of the FSC3 PTB.
Time Unit Leader (TIME)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Time Unit Leader (TIME)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR TIME
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)

TIME MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Commissary Manager (CMSY)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Finance/Administration Unit Leaders (E/L975)
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PTRC
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

PTRC MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Commissary Manager (CMSY)
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Applied Interagency Incident Business Management (S-261)
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
e-ISuite, All Modules (N-9062)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Cost Unit Leader (COST)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Cost Unit Leader (COST)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR COST
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)

COST MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE
AND SKILLS
Applied Interagency Incident Business Management (S-261)
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Finance/Administration Unit Leaders (E/L975)
Fireline Leadership (L-380)
e-ISuite, All Modules (N-9062)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR COMP
Claims Specialist (CLMS)
Compensation-for-Injury Specialist (INJR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)

COMP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Claims Specialist (CLMS)
Compensation-for-Injury Specialist (INJR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Applied Interagency Incident Business Management (S-261)
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Finance/Administration Unit Leaders (E/L975)
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

Note: Once qualified as a COMP, the CLMS and INJR qualifications may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented.
Compensation-for-Injury Specialist (INJR)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR INJR
Claims Specialist (CLMS)
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)

INJR MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Claims Specialist (CLMS)
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Applied Interagency Incident Business Management (S-261)
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)

Note: Once qualified as a COMP, the INJR qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented.
Claims Specialist (CLMS)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR CLMS
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)
Compensation-for-Injury Specialist (INJR)

CLMS MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Compensation/Claims Unit Leader (COMP)
Compensation-for-Injury Specialist (INJR)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Applied Interagency Incident Business Management (S-261)
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)

Note: Once qualified as a COMP, the CLMS qualification may be granted by the certifying official. Certification must be documented.
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

AUTHORITY
Federal delegated acquisition authority to obligate Government funds. The Position Task Book may be initiated prior to receiving delegated authority. Certification may not be granted until delegated authority has been obtained.

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Forest Service Procurement Unit Leaders must be qualified Contracting Officers (FSH 6309.32) and, by policy, they will not be mobilized into positions other than those that also require delegated acquisition authority (that is Buying Team Leader).

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PROC
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

PROC MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Finance/Administration Unit Leaders (E/L975)
Fireline Leadership (L-380)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Equipment Time Recorder (EQTR)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR EQTR
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 1 (FSC1)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 2 (FSC2)
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)

EQTR MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Finance/Administration Section Chief Type 3 (FSC3)
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Procurement Unit Leader (PROC)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Applied Interagency Incident Business Management (S-261)
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Commissary Manager (CMSY)
(Position Category: ICS)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Commissary Manager (CMSY)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR CMSY
Personnel Time Recorder (PTRC)
Time Unit Leader (TIME)

CMSY MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Applied Interagency Incident Business Management (S-261)
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Incident Business Advisor (INBA)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Business Advisor (INBA)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR INBA
None

INBA MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
Command and General Staff (S-420) or Advanced Leadership for Command and General Staff (L-481)
Finance/Administration Unit Leaders (E/L975)
Incident Business Advisor (S-481)
Incident Contract Project Inspector (ICPI)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Incident Contract Project Inspector (ICPI)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ICPI
Contracting Officers Technical Representative (COTR)

ICPI MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Applied Interagency Incident Business Management (S-261)
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Incident Contract Project Inspector (S-262)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
QUALIFICATIONS FOR DISPATCH POSITIONS
Expanded Dispatch Coordinator (CORD)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
None

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP) + Completion and Certification of PTB as an Expanded Dispatch Coordinator (CORD)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR CORD
Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP)

CORD MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP)
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Advanced ICS (ICS-400)
Organizational Leadership in the Fire Service (L-480)
Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP)  
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING  
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)  
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE  
Satisfactory performance as an Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD) +  
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL  
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR EDSP  
Expanded Dispatch Coordinator (CORD)  
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)

EDSP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS  
Expanded Dispatch Coordinator (CORD)  
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)  
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS  
Aircraft Flight Scheduling (A-207)  
Fireline Leadership (L-380)  
Supervisory Dispatcher (D-510)
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR EDSD
Expanded Dispatch Coordinator (CORD)
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP)

EDSD MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Demobilization Unit Leader (DMOB)
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (D-310)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as an Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR EDRC
Aircraft Dispatcher (ACDP)
Expanded Dispatch Coordinator (CORD)
Expanded Dispatch Supervisory Dispatcher (EDSP)
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)
Initial Attack Dispatcher (IADP)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)

EDRC MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Aircraft Dispatcher (ACDP)
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (EDSD)
Ordering Manager (ORDM)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Firefighter Training:
   Firefighter Training (S-130)
   Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
   Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (D-110)
Initial Attack Dispatcher (IADP)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Basic Firefighter Training:
  Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
  Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (L-180)
  Firefighter Training (S-130)
  Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)

Completion and Certification of PTB as an Initial Attack Dispatcher (IADP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR IADP
None

IADP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
Radio Operator (RADO)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE
AND SKILLS
Initial Attack Dispatcher (D-311)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)
Aircraft Dispatcher (ACDP)
(Position Category: Incident Support)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as an Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as an Aircraft Dispatcher (ACDP)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR ACDP
Aircraft Base Radio Operator (ABRO)
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)

ACDP MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Expanded Dispatch Recorder (EDRC)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Aircraft Dispatcher (D-312)
Basic Air Operations (S-270)
Expanded Dispatch Support Dispatcher (D-310)
Interagency Incident Business Management (S-260)
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QUALIFICATIONS FOR PREVENTION AND INVESTIGATION POSITIONS
Fire Prevention Education Team Leader (PETL)
(Position Category: Associated Activities)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
NRF: An Introduction (IS-800)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Fire Prevention Education Team Member (PETM)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Fire Prevention Education Team Leader (PETL)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PETL
Fire Prevention Team Member (PETM)

PETL MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Fire Prevention Team Member (PETM)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE
AND SKILLS
Fire Prevention Education 2 (P-301)
Fire Prevention Education Team Leader (P-410)
Fire Prevention Education Team Member (PETM)
(Position Category: Associated Activities)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Fire Prevention Education Team Member (PETM)

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
None required

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR PETM
Fire Prevention Education Team Leader (PETL)

PETM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
Fire Prevention Education Team Leader (PETL)

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Basic Wildland Fire Orientation (S-110)
Fire Prevention Education Team Member (P-310)
Firefighter Training (S-130)
Introduction to Wildfire Prevention (P-101)
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
Wildland Fire Observations and Origin Scene Protection for First Responders (FI-110)
Wildland Fire Investigation Team Member (INTM)
(Position Category: Associated Activities)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Wildland Fire Investigation: Case Development (FI-310)
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Satisfactory performance as a Wildland Fire Investigator (INVF)
+ Completion and Certification of PTB as a Wildland Fire Investigation Team Member (INTM)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Successful completion of a basic land management police training program or a criminal investigator training program conducted by the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC).*
Must follow Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations on “Safety for Personnel Visiting Fires”

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

FS PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light or completion of the 1.5 mile run/walk test portion of the Physical Efficiency Battery (PEB) at the 75th percentile or above.

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR INTM
None

INTM MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS-300)
Intermediate Wildland Fire Behavior (S-290)
Interviewing and Interrogation Training

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

*Certification of a Wildland Fire Investigator who has met this required experience does not include completion of a position task book. Competency for the position task book can be granted by indicating the year of completion of the training programs provided.
Wildland Fire Investigator (INVF)
(Position Category: Associated Activities)

310-1 REQUIRED TRAINING
Wildland Fire Origin and Cause Determination (FI-210)
Introduction to ICS (ICS-100)
NIMS: An Introduction (IS-700)

310-1 REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Completion and Certification of PTB as a Wildland Fire Investigator (INVF)

FOREST SERVICE ADDITIONAL REQUIRED EXPERIENCE
Forest Protection Officer Certification
AND
Successful position performance as a Wildland Fire Investigator (INVF)
OR
Successful completion of a basic land management police training program or a criminal investigator training program conducted by the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC).*

310-1 PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light

FS PHYSICAL FITNESS LEVEL
Light or completion of the 1.5 mile run/walk test portion of the Physical Efficiency Battery (PEB) at the 75th percentile or above.

310-1 POSITIONS THAT MAINTAIN CURRENCY FOR INVF
None

INVF MAINTAINS CURRENCY FOR THESE 310-1 POSITIONS
None

310-1 OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORTS DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents (ICS-200)
Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (S-190)
Wildland Fire Observations and Origin Scene Protection for First Responders (FI-110)

FOREST SERVICE OTHER TRAINING WHICH SUPPORT DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
Annual Fireline Safety Refresher (RT-130)

*Certification of a Wildland Fire Investigator who has met this required experience does not include completion of a position task book. Competency for the position can be granted by indicating the year of completion of the training programs provided.
REFERENCED WEB SITES

Aviation Business System online training

Fire Program Management

IQCS

National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG)

NWCG Position Task Books
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The position qualification flowcharts presented in this section show the progression from one wildland fire position to another within the wildland fire qualification system. (For detailed information about a specific position, refer to the qualification page for that position, which is located in the Qualifications section of this document).

Below is an example of a position and its requirements as shown on the qualification flowchart. The example shows the position title, position code, and the required experience (Qualified As), required training, and fitness level required for a trainee to qualify for that position.

**Note:** Prerequisite positions outlined in the flowcharts are in addition to the PTB requirement for each position.
AREA COMMAND
This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Planning Section Chief Course (S-440) prior to position qualification for PSC1.

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Logistics Section Chief Course (E/L967) prior to position qualification for LSC1.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Public Information Officer Course (E/L952) prior to position qualification.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
PREScribed FIRE

This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
OPERATIONS

This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
AIR OPERATIONS

This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Planning Section Chief Course (S-440) prior to position qualification.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
PLANNING

This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Planning Section Chief Course (S-440) prior to position qualification.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
LOGISTICS

This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

*Individuals utilizing this pathway must complete the Logistics Section Chief Course (E/L967) prior to position qualification.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
FINANCE/ADMINISTRATION

This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
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PREVENTION AND INVESTIGATION
This is not an ICS chain of command organization chart.

The FS Required Training listed is in addition to the NWCG Required Training listed in the PMS 310-1.
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